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A Londsdale shield holder named J. Pepin who is now attached to the Navy throws out a challenge to meet any amateur welter-weight in the Colony as the Police Reserve Assault at Arms to be held in the first week in January. Pepin is a member of the Metropolitan Police and joined the Navy for the duration of the War. The Londsdale Shield was presented to him by Lord Londsdale for the middle-weight championship of the whole of the British Police Force. He has won it twice in succession and has to win it once more before it becomes his property. He has also won the Laione cup presented by Major Laione, Chief Constable of the Metropolitan Police, for the best welter-weight in the London Police Force.

TENNIS.

The annual tournaments in connection with the Wigwam Lawn Tennis Club have now begun. The first round for all events closes on the 16th inst.

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At a First Aid Examination held recently the following were successful in obtaining First Year Certificates:—Li Shiu-kong, Pun Tso-pui, Pun Yam-ting, Wong Chor-ting and Wong Ping-fan. There was one failure.

The Hon. Lecture to the Class was Dr. G. H. Thosca, M.B., B.S. (Hongkong), and the Hon. Examiner was Dr. S. F. Lee, M.B., B.Ch. (Edinburgh).

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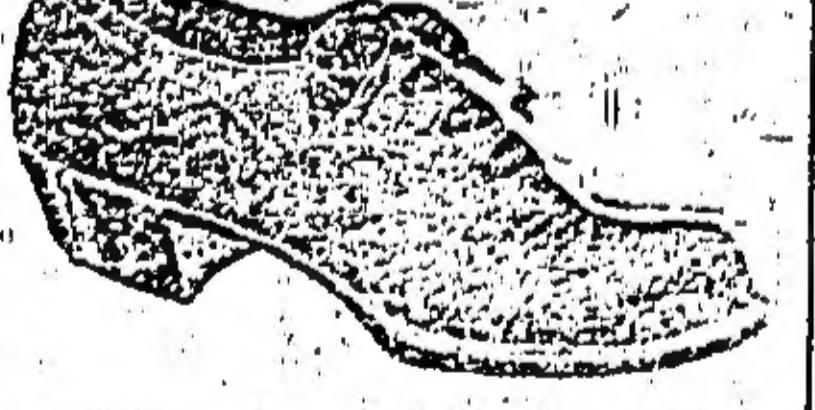
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CONFERENCE.

Preparations are being made by the
Peking authorities for the convention of a
national anti-opium conference, sessions
of which will begin on the 10th of
December. Circular despatches have
been issued to the different provinces,
instructing the Governors and other
authorities to despatch delegates to
confer with the Government on the
subject of the wholesale suppression of
the evil, the time for effecting this being
fixed for the third month of next year.
—Peking Gazette.

He is as brave as a lion, this Rumanian
soldier, and whether he be the very
spick and span officer from Calea
Victoria, or the rough peasant from the
Baragan or the Ol, all have in their
veins a certain amount of the same blood
as flowed in Trajan's legions, for it is
from these Roman colonists, that they
descend and of which they are so justly
proud; wherefore he is a bonny fighter.
Only now Turtukai, against five times
their number of Bulgars and Germans,
for four days and nights they fought
unceasingly, most of them, it is proudly
related, never able to stop to eat or
drink for three days and three nights,
only getting an occasional drink passed
along when a lull in the fighting lighted
up his eyes, and admirable for
marching it is, except in wet weather,
when it slips. The cavalry, too, have
adopted putties, always of the same
colour as the uniform.

I said his footgear was the ankle-boot
but he also wears in preference, when
his commanders and the weather allow,
the native sandal with thongs tied half-
way up his calf, and admirable for
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Mr. Donald Maclean, Deputy Chairman
of Committees of the House of Commons,
speaking at Manchester recently at the
annual public meeting of the United
Kingdom Alliance, said the country was
still spending half a million pounds a
day on intoxicants—a waste and an evil
detrimental to the nation.

There were half a million people em-
ployed every working day in the manu-
facture of this "deadly stuff." It was
occupying tonnage on the high seas; it
was occupying the railway wagons by the
hundred, if not by the thousand, and
was forcing up the prices of the
necessities of life.

On the motion of Mr. Leif Jones, M.P.,
seconded by Dr. Saleby, a resolution was
passed urging the Government to pro-
hibit the manufacture, export and
import of all classes of intoxicating liquors
during the war and for six months after-
wards, or, failing that, to take a
referendum.

Mr. Leif Jones said the waste caused,
directly and indirectly, by drink of fat-

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THE NATIONAL MISSION.

TO-DAY, 6.00 p.m. Men Only, City Hall: Subject: "Is Christianity Played Out?"

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY: 10.15 a.m. Service in the Cathedral. 5.00 p.m. Meeting "for Women," Helena May Institute. 9.00 p.m. United Meeting in the Theatre.

Speaker, Rt. Rev. F. L. NORRIS D.D. Hongkong, Dec. 5, 1916. 1923

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THE DIARY.

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, Dec. 8.—2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

SATURDAY, Dec. 9.—10.30 a.m.—Auction of Gramophone Records at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

10.45 a.m.—Auction of Jewellery, Binoculars etc. at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

H.K. Cricket Club v. University (H.K.C.C. ground). Entries close for Wodehouse Cup (Ladies' Foursomes, Fanning).

8.44 p.m.—Full Moon.

SUNDAY, Dec. 10.—9 a.m.—Excursion to Macao by "Taishan".

MONDAY, Dec. 11.—3 p.m.—Sale of Crown Land at P. W. D.

TUESDAY, Dec. 12.—Entries close for Ladies' Championship, H.K. Golf Club.

FRIDAY, SAT. 13, MON. 14 & TUES. 15.—A.D.C. Performances of "Kismet" in aid of "Star and Garter" Fund.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

During the fire at Arthur Street Yau Ma Tei on Sunday a looter stole jewellery valued at \$250, six pearls worth \$30, and a sum of money. The Police have not yet effected his arrest.

Strict investigations are being made by the Civil Governor of Canton to ascertain whether the officials of the province are complying with the laws for the suppression of opium smoking.

Mr. E. Belaito, the Italian Artist, has generously handed over to Lady May for the War Charities the sum of one hundred dollars, part of the proceeds from the sale of some of his pictures recently.

There were 27 cases of small-pox in the Colony last week—all Chinese, one being an imported case. Nineteen cases were fatal. There were also seven cases of enteric fever (with five deaths) and five cases of diphtheria; three fatal.

The following members of "A" Coy. H.K.V.R. will parade at Blake Pier at 3.30 p.m. to-morrow for Musketry. Dress: Drill order. Sergt. G. C. Moxon, Corp. W. Hill, Ptes. A. G. Coppin, H. E. Scriven, A. Watson, F. W. White, A. J. J. Brock, A. H. Hollingsworth, E. A. G. May, A. E. Crapnell, H. J. Knight, J. O. Shepherd, F. A. Brown, J. Carr, N. E. Kent, T. W. Mackay.

"Is Christianity Played Out?" is the subject of an address to be delivered by Bishop Norris in the Chamber of Commerce Room, at the City Hall to-night. The meeting will commence at 6.00 p.m. and will be of short duration. Questions are invited. To-morrow evening at 9 p.m. the Bishop will address a united meeting in the Theatre. At 5.00 p.m. he will speak to women in the Helena May Institute.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals:—

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Wong Fu Nung	25
Cha Kai Ming	25
Ho Kam Tong	25
Ho Tak Fan	25
Dhy Hing	25

On Sunday, December 17th the Bishop of the diocese will hold an Ordination in the Cathedral at 12.15. The service will be in Chinese. One Chinese will be admitted to Deacon's Orders and three to the Priesthood. It is likely to deter Germany one iota. We may have Hague Conventions by the score, and the signature of an accredited German delegate to every one of them, but in the course of nearly two years and a half of war the world has been afforded abundant proof that in the conduct of the war Germany is prepared to trample upon and ignore every law which imposes any restraint upon any action deemed by her War Lords essential to the triumph of the German arms. Everyone must by this time be familiar with the fact that the Hunnish outrages committed by the Teutons in Belgium, France, Poland, Serbia and Montenegro are all in accordance with the militarist doctrines preached and accepted in Germany. Dr. Schramm, First Counsellor of the Imperial Navy Department of Germany, who less than two years before the outbreak of the war published a book in which he declared that the conduct of war by sea must be conducted with the same ruthlessness as by land, referred to land operations in these terms: "The conduct of war inflicts suffering of every kind upon the civil population. The occupation of hostile territory and the requisitions and contributions exacted from the peaceful population give to the victor the most powerful means for hurling his opponent and furnish the most efficient supplement of military successes." That is the law which Germany sets up for her guidance and she will remain deaf to all appeals to her sense of honour or humane instincts. She will only cease to practice these outrages when her armies are rolled back to her own frontiers. Hence appeals to the civilised world at the present time serve only as official records of the atrocities committed which will probably have a useful purpose when the Allied Armies are in a position to exact the retribution these acts of barbarism merit.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Admiral Winterhalter of the U.S. Pacific Squadron has been paying a visit to Peking and while there had the honour of an audience with the President.

The death is announced of Mr. John T. Griffin, of Yokohama. Mr. Griffin, who was in his sixty-sixth year, was well known in the Far East. He went to Japan more than forty years ago and, until he retired from business a few years since, was one of the prominent silk merchants in Yokohama. He was very active in Masonry and did more than any other man in Japan to advance his interests in all branches. Mr. Griffin had been illing for the past two years and his death was not unexpected.

WAR CHARITIES.

The workers of "Our Little Bit" Society, Kowloon, have this week sent the following articles to Queen Mary's Needwork Guild, Cavendish Square, London, W., through the courtesy of Messrs. Shaw & Son, Tomes & Co.

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THE MAGISTRACY.

SHOP WINDOW ATTRACTIONS.

MAGISTRATE CONVICTS SUN CO. OF COMMITTING A PUBLIC NUISANCE.

was reported to Mr. Oliphant. The pork was found in the defendant's quarters in a bucket. Each defendant had been employed there for a number of years and had good characters. Defendants were fined \$25 or a month's imprisonment.

A JUNK ARMOURY.

Two ball cannon, three old service rifles, bearing the H.K.V.C. mark, and four muskets were produced by Inspector Angus of Shaukiwan as evidence on a charge of unlawful possession against two junkmen. Two hundred-and-seventy-eight cartridges were also found on board. A woman was also found to be in possession of eight taels of prepared opium. The cases were remanded until to-morrow, bail being fixed at \$1,000 each for the men and \$800 for the woman. Mr. Kong Sing defends.

LOTTERY TICKETS.

Detective Sergt. Murphy and a party of Chinese detectives yesterday raided 35, Lower Lascar Row, for lottery tickets, and seized 76 sump-pui tickets and a number of others. He arrested two men and Mr. Goldring, who appeared to defend, stated that the men had only just come down from Macao and had gone to the house where they had some friends. They knew nothing about the tickets. A rent collector testified that the first defendant had rented the floor for some time.

The crowd did not extend the full length of the frontage of the Sun Company's store. There is 10 feet width of pavement, which was entirely blocked. I attempted to force my way through the crowd on the pavement. I saw several rickshas held up by the crowd; but no motor cars. A tram came along going east. It had to slow up and proceed cautiously through the crowd. A number of people had to get out of its way. The crowd waited till they could get in for a view. I saw persons lifting each other up in the crowd.

This evidence I accept; and had similar evidence been given in respect of some other date, no difficulty would have been found in adopting the conclusion that the figures exhibited had caused a crowd to collect, which had so seriously interfered with the passage of the public as to amount to a nuisance. The authorities, however, elected to lay their complaints in respect of the 16th November, an occasion on which it is admitted that a large additional crowd had gathered to listen to a band playing on the defendant's premises; and, in consequence, Mr. Davidon, Solicitor for the defendant, has been tempted to argue in detail, and this Court has been led to consider his very able argument, that, if the crowd on this occasion did in fact amount to a nuisance, it is impossible to attribute the nuisance to any one cause (whether to the band or to the exhibition), and that therefore the defendant, who is not charged as having been with a nuisance arising from both causes jointly, is entitled to be discharged on the present summons.

I have considered the evidence given by Inspector Garrod set out above. In addition to this, evidence was also given on the condition of the road on an occasion on the 12th November when the figures were being displayed, but no band was playing. A sub-manager of the defendant's firm also admitted that it had been found necessary to employ four men daily to keep foot passengers on the move outside his establishment.

The conclusion to which I have come is that on the occasion in question the nuisance alleged was being caused by the defendant, who was then using his premises in Des Voeux Road Central for an exhibition of such a character that a crowd did in fact collect and did obstruct the roadway, and a portion of the roadway (that portion in front of the window, that portion in front of the footpath) by remaining on it and watching or endeavouring to obtain a view of the spectacle exhibited.

I therefore convict the defendant and impose a fine of \$1.00.

Mr. Edgar Davidson, of Messrs. Hastings and Hastings, who appeared for the defence stated that he might have occasion to apply to his Worship to state a case.

MISSING MEAT.

Two men employed at the Dairy Farm, Pokfulam, were charged before Mr. Wood at the Magistracy this morning with stealing a quantity of pork. The second man said he wanted a little pork for his food. Inspector O'Sullivan said the men were employed as gardeners and butchers and yesterday a number of men were killed and some of the meat was missed. The master

GOD AND THE WAR.

A BISHOP'S VIEWS ON PUNISHMENT FOR SIN.

ENGLAND'S PURE MOTIVE.

inflicting pain when it was worth while; and he saw no inconsistency in God permitting this war. If He thought it worth while, war not being evil in itself, only painful. If he were asked to defend the statement that war was not necessarily evil in itself he would rather not do it that night. He would merely remark that there was a natural law of destruction and death which they saw going on all round them, and war was only one form of it. It seemed to him that they had to admit the whole thing if they were going to admit that which was necessarily evil in itself. He could fancy another question being asked—if it was consistent of God to allow the war to go on when it was doing no good? That question was founded on the assumption that the war was doing no good. Was it not doing good? He fancied it was doing a great deal of good, in spite of its suffering. If the war had done nothing else for him, the story of the brave boy Cornwall standing at his post to the death in the battle of Jutland had made an impression that would last all the days of his life. And there was the sacrifice entailed in this war which was held up to us as Christ was held up on the cross. Let no man say the war was doing no good. There might be a question that now that the object of the war had been attained was it not time to end it? He said he did not agree that the object of the war had been attained. He asked "What is the object of the war?" and quoted at length from a war work by Mr. Clutton-Brock. If the object set forth in it was the object for which God had permitted the war—that we should learn to make ourselves as good and great and as near to God's ideal of excellence as we could—then he thought it was just as well that the war had not yet been stopped. They had not learned the war's lesson yet, but they were a great deal nearer it than they were two-and-a-half years ago. May God, if it be His will, give us a little longer—it would not need to be very much longer—if we were ready to learn our lesson.

Mr. J. R. Wood and a jury held an enquiry at the Magistracy yesterday afternoon into the circumstances attending the death of a Chinese prisoner at the goal who died at the Government Civil Hospital on Sunday. Deceased was serving a term of seven years' imprisonment for robbery and also had received fifteen lashes with the cat. Dr. Koch, Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, said when deceased was brought to the Hospital on the 1st inst. he was suffering from acute appendicitis. His condition was very grave and there was only the slightest chance of his recovery, even after an operation. Witness operated on him and he lived until 4.40 p.m. in the afternoon. Death was due to acute appendicitis. Dr. C. W. McKenna, medical officer of the goal, stated that deceased came under his observation on November 30th. He complained of excessive vomiting and witness suspected appendicitis though he was not quite sure. Deceased was put under observation. Next morning he said he was feeling much better and witness was then able to diagnose his condition as suffering from appendicitis. He ordered his removal to the Government Civil Hospital.

The jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes.

THE SITUATION AT CANTON.

Our "Canton" correspondent writes: An urgent telegram was recently addressed to the Central Government by General Luk Wing Ting, the Military Governor of Kwong-tung, announcing his intention to proceed to Peking at an early date and recommending that Commander Tam Ho Ming be appointed to take over the duties of Military Governor. Both the President and the Premier telegraphed instructions to General Luk not to receive the post or to leave Canton.

A later message, however, states that the Central Government, at the solicitation of the Vice-President, has acceded to General Luk's request to be allowed to come to Peking for the purpose of having an audience with the President to discuss the affairs of the Kwangtung province, and it is stated that it is the Government's intention that General Luk shall afterwards take over the Civil Governorship of the province. Chu Hang Lam, the present holder of the post being transferred to Fokien Province.

Since Chu Hang Lam tendered his resignation officials in Peking have been advocating that either Chan Kwing Ming (a former Tatu of Kwangtung), Tam Ho Ming (Director of the River Conservancy Bureau) or Wong Chang Wei (ex-minister of Justice) should be appointed to the post, while the President favoured the appointment of Lan Sling Yam, the present Civil Governor of Kwangtung, who is very unpopular in Canton.

The following order was issued by the Kuo Wu Yuan in connection with the death of the Emperor of Austria-Hungary: "We have been instructed by the President to convey to the Emperor of Austria-Hungary the sincere and as tokens of sympathy and condolence, the friendly nation, all Government offices in and outside of Peking shall hoist their flags at half-mast for three days from the 15th inst. and also on the 20th inst. when the interment is to take place."

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1916.

THE WAR.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

BUKHAREST
EVACUATED.HAD LONG CEASED TO BE A
FORTRESS.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

An authoritative Rumanian statement says that Bukharest was deprived of the character of a fortress before the war, and when there was a danger of occupation by the enemy, steps were taken for the military evacuation of the city, but civilians were enjoined to remain.

ROMANIAN FIRST ARMY
DEFEATED.

LATER.

A Berlin official communiqué announces that the Austro-German-Durko-Bulgar armies in Rumania have completed their junctions, captured Tigravista, and completely defeated the Rumanian First Army.

CHURCH BELLS RINGING IN
GERMANY.

A Berlin official announcement says the battle of Argesul, north-west of Bukharest, was won by the IXth Army.

The Kaiser ordered the church bells to be rung to-day in Prussia and Alsace-Lorraine.

PROGRESS OF THE STRUGGLE.

A Russian communiqué states that the Rumanians are retreating from Pitesti to the Tongovistia region.

There is obstinate fighting between Alexandria and Bukharest.

The enemy who were forced to retire received reinforcements and occupied the village of Grindichtea south of Bukharest.

The Rumanian troops who were attempting to attack the enemy rear were themselves compelled to retire.

THE MACEDONIAN FRONT.

ENEMY RETIRE IN DISORDER
BEFORE SERBIA.

LATER.

A French communiqué says the Serbians carried heights east of Grunista and the enemy retreated in disorder towards Staritsa.

A Serbian official report records that in the course of the success mentioned it the French communiqué they took five field-guns and large booty. The prisoners had not been counted.

The Serbians have captured a total of 79 guns.

THE ITALIAN FRONT.
ENEMY ATTACK REPULSED.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

An Italian official report states: We repulsed an attempted attack on the village of Sano.

There is intense artillery firing in Asino and Sugano.

Italian air squadrons dropped a ton and a half of high explosive on the railway stations of Dottogliano and Skopo.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

FAILURE OF ENEMY SURPRISE
ATTACKS.

LATER.

A French official report states that enemy surprise attack at Baroux and south-east of Metzeral in Alsace failed.

An official communiqué states that there has been marked reciprocal artillery north of the Somme and at Vau and Douaumont.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

Sir Douglas Haig reports hostile shelling at Guedecourt and Ponqueville. We heavily bombarded the neighbourhood of Monchy.

LATER.

General Sir Douglas Haig reports the usual artillery and trench mortar activity.

THE NEW VOTE OF CREDIT.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

The new Vote of Credit will be for £400,000,000, making the year's total £1,750,000,000.

BRITISH CABINET TO BE RECONSTRUCTED.	EARLIER TELEGRAMS.	HOSPITALS IN INDIA.
INVOLVES NO CHANGE IN WAR POLICY.	THE FIGHTING IN ATHENS.	OFFICERS' SATISFACTION.
LONDON, Dec. 4. Mr. Asquith had another audience of the King to-day.	MANY CASUALTIES.	LONDON, Dec. 4. Following upon his statement in the House of Commons on the 27th ult. regarding hospital administration, Mr. Chamberlain has received spontaneous letters from two officers, unknown to him personally, and who were lately patients at Colaba, testifying that there was no cause for complaint. On the contrary, the staff did their utmost for the comfort of the patients.
LATER. Mr. Asquith replying in the House of Commons to a question regarding a Food Controller stated: "The King, upon advice I gave His Majesty to-day, approved of a reconstruction of the Government. All questions as to personnel had better be deferred 'till that process has been completed, if it is."	LATER.	LONDON, Dec. 4. The Times correspondent at Athens states that altogether 3,000 Allies landed, and were marching to the town from three directions, when, at daylight on Friday, they found the point assigned for them occupied by Greek troops who attacked the Allies. The latter retired. Fighting began at 10.30 in the morning and ended at two in the afternoon, as the result of an armistice. The Allies withdrew during the night, escorted by Greek cavalry, in order to avoid further incidents.
Mr. Asquith, dealing with a subsequent question, declared that whatever reconstruction there might be in the Government it would not involve departure in any shape or form from the policy pursued since the war began. (Loud cheers.)	GREEK AND FRENCH CASUALTIES.	Besides twenty-seven killed the Allies had other casualties. The Italians, numbering 180, lost considerably, and 100 French were taken prisoners.

LONDON, Dec. 4. In the House of Commons Lord Robert Cecil announced that the situation in Greece was "extremely grave. Despite the formal and repeated assurance of King Constantine and his Government that no disturbances would be permitted, a most treacherous and unprompted attack was made upon the Allies' detachment on the 1st inst. There were many casualties. The Government considered the responsibility of King Constantine and the Greek Government was deeply involved, and was considering with the Allies what immediate steps should be taken to secure a radical solution of the situation."	THE DISORDERS WERE CONTINUED NEARLY THE WHOLE DAY FROM BALCONIES AND HOTELS.	Eighteen and a half million casualties, of which deaths make up nearly one-quarter, is the toll already levied on the fighting men of all the belligerent nations by twenty-six months of war. This gives a monthly average of more than 711,000 casualties—killed, wounded, prisoners and missing—or more than 165,000 a week. These appalling figures are published by Mr Frank H. Simonds, perhaps the best known authority in the United States on the various phases of the European War, and are the result of his examination and analysis of available statistics from both belligerent and neutral sources. If the war remains a "contest of attrition," concludes Mr Simonds, it will continue to deplete human life at this rate for another two years, but victory at the last must be with the Entente Allies because the total available manpower is two and a half times as great as that of the Central Powers. Point is given to these figures and this prediction by the fact that while on the Western front the Allies' push forward on the Somme and the French under General Nivelle recover with a sweep the offensive at Verdun, on the Eastern front the Bulgarians, under Mackensen capture Constanza, Romania's Black Sea port, take the vital bridge head at Cernavoda, and drive forward victoriously through the Dobruja. The strength of the double offensive against Romania—Falkenhayn driving from Transylvania and Mackensen from Bulgaria—refutes the claim of the Allies that Germany has already exhausted her reserves of man-power, remarks the New York "Tribune," which foresees "a new period of depression among the Allied nations" but goes on to say:
LATER. Mr. Asquith did not dispute this.	GERMANS APPROACHING BUKHAREST.	"If their alliance can endure this new reverse and this very illuminating demonstration that the war is decided, the victory must be long and costly, the German success at Constantza, the disaster to Rumania, will have no real consequences. But Germany will use her utmost effort to make this last success the basis for a settlement which shall not be unfavourable to her or too costly to her foes... She has her excuse for proposing 'victorious peace' again. She will use it."
On the motion of Mr. Asquith, the House of Commons was adjourned till the 7th inst.	BRITISH RAID AT YPRES.	Returning to Mr. Simonds' estimates of the war's cost in human life—which also appear in "The Tribune"—we find him allotting 10,000,000 of the total casualties to France, Russia, Great Britain, and Italy, 8,000,000 to Germany and Austria, and dividing the remaining 500,000 among the smaller nations—Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro, Rumania, one side, and Bulgaria and Turkey on the other. Here is his table of casualties for the six great Powers involved:
THE FOLLOWING VIEWS WERE EXPRESSED BEFORE MR. ASQUITH'S ANNOUNCEMENT IN PARLIAMENT.	MANY CASUALTIES.	GERMAN POWERS.
LONDON, Dec. 4. The tone of the French and British Press indicates that the Greek Government's offer of eight batteries is wholly insufficient to appease the Allies who will take further measures.	LONDON, Dec. 4. The Commander of the First Greek Army Corps announces that the casualties in the recent disturbance were: Greeks, 29 killed and 54 wounded; French marines, 47 killed and 97 wounded.	France 2,500,000 Russia 5,750,000 Great Britain 1,400,000 Italy 350,000
FURTHER MEASURES AGAINST GREECE.	GERMANS APPROACHING BUKHAREST.	10,000,000
LONDON, Dec. 4. The tone of the French and British Press indicates that the Greek Government's offer of eight batteries is wholly insufficient to appease the Allies who will take further measures.	LONDON, Dec. 4. The Daily News states that there will be merely a shifting of offices accompanied by a revision of the functions of the War Council with an enlargement of the powers of Mr. Lloyd George (as Secretary of State for War).	CENTRAL POWERS.
THE BLOCKADE OF GREECE.	GERMANS APPROACHING BUKHAREST.	Germany 4,000,000 Austria 4,000,000
LONDON, Dec. 4. The Press states that an interior blockade of Greece was proclaimed yesterday, including the seizure of all Customs and the occupation of all important points. It emphasises that the Allies must control Greece.	LONDON, Dec. 4. The Daily News says that before the Rumanian campaign began Mr. Lloyd George drafted a Memorandum urging steps to be taken on behalf of Rumania, which were not taken. It is probable that the inclusion of Sir Edward Carson in the Cabinet will lead to a reapproachment on the Irish Question.	9,000,000
GERMAN REPRESENTATIVES IN LONDON RESIGN.	LATER. The Liberal Party has passed a resolution expressing their unabated confidence in Mr. Asquith.	Further examining this grand total of casualties, Mr. Simonds finds that the percentage of deaths is about twenty. That is to say, the number of men killed in the war to date is 4,500,000. "In a word, the war that broke out over Serbia has already killed a number of men equal to the whole population of the little Balkan State." Discussing the meaning of the figures he has compiled, Mr. Simonds says:
LONDON, Dec. 4. The Greek Minister and the Greek Consul-General in London have resigned owing to their inability to identify themselves with their Government.	THE WAR IN JAPAN FOR GREAT BRITAIN.	"At the moment when the war broke out the four great Powers united against Germany and Austria had a European population of around 300,000,000. The combined population of Austria and Germany was 120,000,000. Now there is no question more keenly debated than that of the proportion of a total national population which can be reckoned as capable of bearing arms. It may be 10 per cent, it may be 12, but it will be the same for all nations approximately. We may say, then, that at the outset of the war the Allies had available a manpower of 30,000,000, the Central Powers, a manpower of 12,000,000. If the Allies have now suffered attrition amounting to 10,000,000, one-third of their whole force has been temporarily or permanently incapacitated. But if the Central Powers have suffered casualties amounting to 8,000,000, two-thirds of their manpower has been temporarily or permanently incapacitated.
PRO-GERMAN MILITARY CHIEFS REAPPOINTED.	OVER-SUBSCRIBED THE FIRST DAY.	"Now, if the Central Powers have lost only 4,000,000 out of 12,000,000—that is, permanently lost them—in the first twenty-six months of the war, they may be able to go on for something less than two years more, losing at the same rate, before they will be unable to put 5,000,000 in the field. They will go longer if their losses are not as great, but they will go a shorter time if, as seems to be the case now, their losses increase with greater pressure on all sides."
ATHENS, Dec. 4. The pro-Germans General Doumous and Colonel Metaxas have been re-appointed as Heads of the Greek General Staff and the ex-Mayor Markouris, Chief of the Reservists, has resumed the Mayoralty.	OVER-SUBSCRIBED THE FIRST DAY.	"Only one thing is certain; we can't say when exhaustion will come, because we can only guess at the figures of casualties. But we can say that it will come, that it will come to the weaker party, which in the Central alliance, first, and that it will come while the opposing alliance had still abundance of men to keep its armies at the maximum of necessary strength. Conceivably the Germans may win the war, possibly the Allies may win the war; but if it goes on as it is now going, if it turns on battle, if it remains a contest of attrition, the ultimate outcome is patent."
GERMAN TYPHONY IN BELGIUM.	GERMAN TYPHONY IN BELGIUM.	The Allies share this belief in their ultimate but not immediate victory is evidenced by the following statement made on 26th October by General Sir Henry Rawlinson, General Haig's right hand man in the Somme offensive:
DECLARATION BY ALLIED GOVERNMENTS.	DECLARATION BY ALLIED GOVERNMENTS.	"Our army has not yet reached the zenith of its power, nor will it have done so until next spring, or possibly next summer. I think we have reached the top of the hill, but there is an undulating plateau to cross before we really get on to the down-hill portion beyond. This may be steep, it may be quite a gentle slope. But it will be down-hill work, and comparatively easy."
LONDON, Dec. 4. The British, French, Russian and Italian Governments have issued a declaration stating that by deliberately creating unemployment in Belgium as an excuse for the deportations, and recommending the wholesale removal of foodstuffs from Belgium, and other similar measures, taken contrary to pledges, in order to relieve their own desperate situation, the Germans are tearing up every guarantee on which the work of the Neutral Relief Commission was based. The Government, therefore, appeal to the civilised world on behalf of helpless civilians to see that this great work of international benevolence is not destroyed by such treachery and violence.	GOVERNMENT TO BE RECONSTRUCTED.	"To supplement this we have Mr. S. S. McCleary's testimony that when he was in France a few weeks ago some of the French troops were being demobilised and sent home. And a French division patch to the New York Times quotes the following: 'In the towns in which the Allies have lost one-sixth, the Germans and their allies must succumb. And in the first twenty-six months of the world war this has been approximately the ratio of losses in the two camps.'
OVER 200 INHABITANTS KILLED AT ANTWERP.	LONDON, Dec. 4. It is officially announced that Mr. Asquith, with a view to the most effective prosecution of the war, has decided to advise the King to consent to a reconstruction of the Government.	Pointing out that it "requires not much less than 5,000,000 men to hold the present line of the Central Powers, supplementing voluntary effort."
A SO-CALLED "NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CIVIL LIBERTIES."	THE BRITISH POLITICAL CRISIS.	In the House of Representatives Mr. Cook promised that the Opposition would cordially support the Government in prosecuting and finishing the war to the end.
LONDON, Dec. 4. The Home Secretary, in a letter to Mr. Stanton, M.P., referring to a projected conference by a so-called "National Council of Civil Liberties" to be held at Morby, Tydville (British), Nagasaki (Japanese), three English trawlers and a Belgian fishing cutter have been sunk.	THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.	During the no-confidence debate, Mr. Hughes and the Government intended to concentrate on the continuance of Australia's war efforts both in men and material, despite the Referendum result. A permanent recruiting organisation under a Director would be established supplementing voluntary effort.
THE MEXICAN REVOLUTION.	MELBOURNE, Dec. 3.	In the House of Representatives Mr. Cook promised that the Opposition would cordially support the Government in prosecuting and finishing the war to the end.
NEW YORK, Dec. 17. The Carranzists have reoccupied Chihuahua, but Villa escaped with booty.	THE AUSTRALIAN DETERMINATION.	"We do know that the population of the Allied nations is two and a half times that of the Central Powers. We do know that their losses have been, actually greater than the German and
LORD LUCAS KILLED.	LONDON, Dec. 4. Lord Lucas has been killed.	and the French troops which are now in the field are twice as many as the Central Powers. We do know that the Central Powers have been driven across the Tijuca junction into the arms of the German Infantry Division."
THE NEW VOTE OF CREDIT.	CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH MEDICINE.	The enemy was defeated north-west and south of Bukharest and an additional 8,000 prisoners were taken, as well as enormous booty, including 35 guns.
LONDON, Dec. 4. The new Vote of Credit will be for £400,000,000, making the year's total £1,750,000,000.	THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE.	The Russians somewhat progressed in the Trotzki Valley.

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SHANGHAI RACING.

The following were the results of the
Race Meeting at Kiangwan on November
25th under the auspices of the Inter-
national Recreation Club.

The times were all good, several being
very close to record. The results in
detail follow:

1.—THE UNITED Fliers PLATE—3 fur-
longs.Sir Paul's gr. Coronet Dahlia
late Coronet, Mr C. R. Burkhill 152-1*

Mr. Robson's grey Niblick, Mr

J. Hayes 150-1

Messrs Toog and Speciman's br.

Swance Mr. Head 150-1

Also ran:—The Lapwing (Mr. W. Hill),

Recommendation (Mr. J. Ezra), Faked

Wheel (Mr. T. L. Hu), Mynona (Mr. F. E.

Vida), The Spec late Memory (Mr. S.

Nash), Milkway (Mr. T. L. Hu), Loofield

(Mr. T. L. Hu), Dandy Chief (Mr. J. Ezra),

Housefield (Mr. Stewart), Pace (Mr. C. C.

Boyd), And Beebe (Mr. S. E. McBrain),

Lead heat; three lengths Time,

1.123.

2.—THE CORINTHIAN RACE—1½ miles.

Mr. John Jollifiston's ches. Sandy, lbs.

Mr. John Jollifiston 155-1

Mr. Perchance's grey Mon-

archism, Mr. Burkhill 152-2

Mr. Meguro's black Kuroshio,

Mr. Nagai 148-3

Also ran:—Peter Pieman (Mr. Knoll),

Wynona (Mr. Vida), Galloway (Mr. Liou),

Pinywa Chief (Mr. J. Ezra),

Half a length; three. Time, 2.39-5.

3.—THE GARDENPLATE—1½ miles.

Messrs Toog and Speciman's

black Zuidt Zee, Mr. John lbs

stone

Sir Paul's grey Giant Dahlia, Mr.

Burkhill 152-1

Mr. Fay's grey "Historic", Mr.

Heard 152-2

Mr. Ezra's grey The Tipster, Mr. lbs.

Hayes 152-3

Also ran:—The Buzzard (Mr. Hill),

Mascot (Mr. J. Ezra), Railway (Mr.

Liu), The Raider (Mr. T. L. Hu),

Charlemon (Mr. J. Ezra),

Three-quarters; many. Times 2.39-5.

4.—THE FRENCH FORCE RANDICAT STE-
LECHAGE—3 miles.

Mr. Ezra's grey The Tipster, Mr. lbs.

Hayes 152-3

Also ran:—The Buzzard (Mr. Hill),

Mascot (Mr. J. Ezra), Railway (Mr.

Liu), The Raider (Mr. T. L. Hu),

Charlemon (Mr. J. Ezra),

Three-quarters; many. Times 2.39-5.

5.—THE KIANGWAN CHALLENGE PLATE—
1½ miles.Mr. Henry Morris' ches. Castle-
field, Mr. Stewart 152-1

Mr. Day's grey Northland, Mr.

Burkhill 152-2

Messrs Toog and Speciman's

brown, Swance, Mr. Heard 152-3

Also ran:—Nirvana (Mr. Heard),

Triumph (Mr. Liou), Candlelight (Mr.

Moller), The Capricorn (Mr. Hill), Black

Diamond (Mr. Johnstone), Magnetism

(Mr. J. Ezra).

Two lengths; half. Time, 2.36.

6.—THE RIVER SELLING PLATE—1½ miles.

Mr. N. W. Hickling, grey Battle

Dawn, Mr. Johnstone 148-1

Mr. C. T. Chu's grey House Boy

Mr. C. T. Chu 142-2

Mr. Tah Yuen's bl. dun Alleyway

Mr. Vida 152-3

Also ran:—Mechanism (Mr. J. Ezra),

Victor (Mr. E. McBrain), Sir Nigra (Mr.

Stewart), Dragon Fish (Mr. Liou), Silver

Wood (Mr. J. Ezra).

One length; two. Time, 2.40-3.

7.—THE GREAT TOW PLATE—1½ miles.

Mr. Onden's skew Taihoyo, lbs.

Mr. Vida 161-1

Mr. Henry Morris' brown

Walkfield, Mr. Stewart 155-2

Messrs Toog and Speciman's

brown, Swance, Mr. Heard 155-3

Also ran:—Lille (Mr. Hill).

Three lengths; three-quarters. Time,

2.16-3.

8.—THE MANOR PLATE—7 fur-longs.

Mr. Henry Morris' due Home-
field, Mr. Stewart 152-1

Mr. F. Macgregor's ches. The

Spec late Memory, Mr. Knoll 145-3

Also ran:—Recommendation (Mr. J. Ezra),

Faked Wheel (Mr. F. E. Vida),

Wynona (Mr. T. L. Hu),

Railway (Mr. Liou), Kuroshio (Mr. Nagai),

Loofield (Mr. J. Ezra), Blackwood (Mr.

T. L. Hu), Personne (Mr. McBain).

One length; half. Time, 1.47-4/5.

GENERAL SHUM AT SHANGHAI.

General Tien Chiu-hsuan, ex-Generalissimo

of the southwest provinces arrived

at Yangtze-poo on board the cruiser

To-day's Advertisements

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SEWAN, TOME & COMPANY, Agents, Glen Line (McGregor Gow & Co.) Ltd. Hongkong, Dec. 5, 1916. 1234

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The P. & O. Outward Mail steamer *Kashgar* with the London Mail of the 16th ultimo, arrived at Port Said on Saturday, the 2nd Dec.

Per *Fusima Maru*, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 6th Dec.

SANDAKAN. Per *Mausau*, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 6th Dec.

SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN via KOBE, SAN FRANCISCO, PANAMA, COLON & NEW YORK.

Per *Fusima Maru*, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 6th Dec.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Per *Morristown*, at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, the 6th Dec.

JAPAN via KOBE. Per *Hoyas Maru*, at 7 a.m. on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA via TAKAO. Per *Souf Maru*, at 7 a.m. on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

AMOY, SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. Per *Tianmoo*, at 10 a.m. on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, SANDAKAN, BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOURA BAYA & MACASSAR. Per *Yerimo Maru*, at 11 a.m. on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. (Europe via Siberia). Per *Stavros*, Registration at 2:15 p.m. Letters at 3 p.m. on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

[Shanghai Chi. P.O., Monday, 11th Dec.] SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per *Hai Hong*, at 11 a.m. on Friday, the 8th Dec.

SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN via NAGASAKI, VICTORIA & TACOMA. Per *Masina Maru*, at 1 p.m. on Friday, the 8th Dec.

STRaits, CEYLON, DELAGOA BAY, CAPE TOWN & UNITED KINGDOM. Per *Katori Maru*, Registration at 9:15 a.m. Letters at 10 a.m. on Saturday, the 9th Dec.

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Kuanus, British steamer, 1,222, W. T. Parkes, Swatow Dec. 3,—Burtt and Swire.

Fukura Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,175, T. Okazaki, Karatsu Nov. 28, Coal—M. E. G. K.

Turni Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,754, Wada, Nov. 28, Coal—M. E. G. K.

Kaga Maru, Japanese steamer, from Canton.

December 5.

Merionethshire, British steamer, 2,888, A. T. Williams, Shanghai Dec. 2, General—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.

Snow, British steamer, 1,228, E. B. Simons, White Nov. 30, Rice for Canton—Burtt and Swire.

Cavala, British steamer, 350, Hudson, Haiphong December 2, General—P. A. Lapicque.

Niue Maru, Japanese steamer, 800, Hidoo, Keelung Dec. 2, Coal.

Souf Maru, Japanese steamer, from Canton.

Han-lee, Chinese steamer, from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

December 5.

Polymeris, for Haiphong and Marseilles, Chingchow, for Port Paravai.

Europa, for Holloway and Haiphong, Winstone, for Swatow and Shanghai.

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